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## **NOTIFICATION OF STATUS CHANGE**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby notifies the Commissioner that he is no longer entitled to claim small entity status for the above-referenced patent application. Accordingly, Applicant hereby formally withdraws such claim.

Respectfully submitted,
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### REQUEST FOR ENTRY OF NEW DOCKET NUMBER

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Applicant requests entry of the new docket number 112076-138338 (formerly 41003.P018) in the above-referenced application.

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